GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
AGRICULTURE
LOK SABHA

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DISMANTLING OF GRAIN PROCUREMENT SYSTEM
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Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government are all set to dismantle the present grain procurement system and considering income support for farmers;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) the extent to which these measures are likely to help the farm sector as well as the Government?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI HUKUMDEO NARAYAN YADAV)

(a): There is at present no such proposal before Government to dismantle the present grain procurement system.

(b) & (c): Does not arise.